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In re application of

Sumit ROY et al.

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Group 3731

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METHOD AND DEVICE FOR INTERCONNECTION OF TWO TUBULAR ORGANS

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 22, 2008

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of January 22, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.